SAMUEL STEVENS, JR. ESQUIRE, GOVERNOR.

Dec Ses 1824 Three cents

2. And be it enacted, That for every barrel or half barrel of herrings inspected, there shall be paid by the person requiring said for inspection herrings to be inspected, the sum of three cents and no more, to

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Condemned fish to be removed.

the inspector who may inspect the same.

3. And be it enacted, That when any fish are condemned within the city of Baltimore, the owner or owners thereof, or their agent, shall have the same removed beyond the limits of said city, within twenty four hours thereafter, under the penalty of forfeiting and paying, for each condemned barrel or half barrel of fish, the sum of five dollars; one half thereof shall be appropriated to the informer, and the other half to the use of the state, to be recovered by a common warrant before a justice of the peace.

Owners of fisheries excused from inspection.

4. And be it enacted, That no owner or owners of any fishery shall be compelled to have his or their fish inspected at his or their fishery, if intended to be transported to any port or place within the United States having a fish inspection.

Repealing clauses,

5. And be it enacted, That any act of assembly relative to the inspection of salted fish, inconsistent with or repugnant to the provisions of this act, be, and the same is hereby repealed.

Passed Feb. 26, 1825, Insolvent.

CHAPTER 182. An act for the relief of Sellick Osborn, of the City of Baltimore. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Sellick Osborn, be, and he is hereby authorised to prosecute a peti-tion for the benefit of the insolvent laws of this state, notwithstanding he may not have resided within the state for two years next preceding his said application, Provided he shall satisfy the commissioners of insolvent debtors that he did not come into this state for the purpose of obtaining the benefit of the insolvent laws thereof, And provided also, that he comply with all the other terms and conditions of said insolvent laws.

Proviso.

Passed Feb Bailiff of Rockville.

CHAPTER 183. An act authorising the appointment of Bailiffs in Rockville in Montgomery County, and Leonard Town, in Saint Mary's County.

Sec. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That

it shall be the duty of the levy court of Moctgomery county to appoint a bailiff for the town of Rockville in said county.

Bailiff of Leonard Levy to compensate.

2. And be it enacted, That it shall be the duty of the levy court of Saint Mary's county, if they shall think fit, to appoint a bailiff for Leonard Town in said county; and that the said courts shall be authorised and empowered to levy on the assessable property of their respective counties, such sum of money as they may deem proper to compensate said bailiffs for their services.

Duties.

3. And be it enacted, That it shall be the duty of said bailiffs to attend in said towns on all days of public meeting, Sundays included, to suppress riotous and disorderly assemblages of negroes and mulattoes, and when said bailiffs shall apprehend disorderly persons under the provisions of this act, it shall be their duty to take him, her or them before any justice of the peace of the counties aforesaid, to be dealt with according to the nature of the offence.